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Dear Commissioner of Patents:

The Applicant submits the following Preliminary Amendment with its Divisional Application. The Divisional Application claims the benefit of the filing date of Application No. 10/087,148, filed on February 28, 2002, by Inventor Robert Lee Donovan, and titled "FINNED VIBRATION DAMPER FOR ARCHERY BOW".

This Preliminary Amendment includes amendments to the claims, which begin on page 2 of this paper.

Preliminary Amendment  
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